

Editorial Comment

The skeleton of an extinct lizard 84 feet long is being transported from Utah to the Carnegie Museum at Pittsburgh, in fifteen cars. The bones are imbedded in solid stone.

Emilio Madero, another brother of the late President, has been shot and killed near Monterey, by troops under Gen. Trevino. He was accused of being a "rebel leader."

The London papers are urging the British Government to press the American government for immediate action in Mexico.

Judge T. J. Nunn, of the Court of Appeals, is ill in Florida, where he went to spend the winter on account of failing health.

A French aviator named Moulinais on Tuesday flew from Paris to London in 185 minutes, 94 miles an hour.

Gov. Wilson has resigned to take effect Saturday. Next Tuesday it will be President Wilson.

Cabinet guessers are again tipping as "sure things" Bryan, McAdoo, Daniels and Burleson.

Marjorie Moreland is expected soon to become the sixth wife of Nat Goodwin.

Gov. Colquitt of Texas, almost declared war on Mexico but checked himself in time.

Twelve couples were granted divorces in Louisville Saturday.

Turkey and the allies are again holding secret negotiations.

GEORGE M. STEELE

Died Tuesday Night, After Five Months Illness.

Mr. George M. Steele died last Tuesday night about 8 o'clock at his home on East Ninth street, after an illness of five months, aged 70 years. His death occurred one day before his birthday anniversary. He is survived by his wife and one son, Martin, and one daughter, Elizabeth. He was a brother of Robert M. Steele, express messenger on the Nashville accommodation.

Though Mr. Steele had been ill since last October and at one time his life was despaired of, he had recovered sufficiently to be able to walk on the streets last Friday. His physician attributes his death to heart failure, superinduced by dropsical affection.

Mr. Steele was a mechanic and enjoyed the reputation of being the most skillful horse shoer in the city for several years. He had many friends and served one term as a member of the City Council many years ago. He was for many years a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. Funeral services were held at the residence yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. B. Eshman. The burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

GEO. W. MCKNIGHT

Democratic Candidate For Assessor of Christian County.

Mr. Geo. W. McKnight, the well known farmer and stock breeder of Howell, is announced as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Assessor of Christian county subject to the action of the party in the official primary in August. Mr. McKnight is a staunch Democrat, a progressive and wide-awake citizen and one of the leading farmers of the county. He is widely known as a breeder of registered hogs and other live stock. He is especially well qualified for the duties of the office to which he aspires. At present he is the only announced candidate but whether he has opposition or not he will prove to be a most popular candidate not only with his own party but in the general election.

WOMEN ARE SPARED

Madero's Wife and Mother Not Required to Run Gauntlet.

ARE COMING TO CIVILIZATION.

They Are Allowed to Leave Mexico Alive Headed For Cuba.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Feb. 26.—The wife and the mother of the late President of Mexico arrived here yesterday on a special car from Mexico City. Escorted by the Cuban minister they went immediately on board the Cuban gunboat, where they met Francisco I. Madero, Sr., and Ernesto Madero, who arrived yesterday. The Cuba sailed for Havana at once. The departure of the Maderos was with the consent of the Mexican government. They intend to remain in Havana for some days and will then go to New Orleans. Their ultimate destination is Europe.

HENDERSON FANS

Eager to Hold Their Place in the Kitty League.

The Gleaner said Tuesday that the fans are anxious to hold their place in the K. I. T. League and that a mass meeting would be held in the near future to take the necessary steps to prevent the franchise passing into the hands of the baseball enthusiasts of Owensboro.

At a meeting of the directors last Monday night E. A. Wilson tendered his resignation as president of the club. C. C. Wathan, a member of the board, was elected to serve the unexpired term of Mr. Wilson.

At this meeting \$200 was subscribed toward raising the \$2,500 necessary to remain in the League. The required amount will doubtless be made up, and if so new blood will be put into the team.

OWENSBORO

Gets A Berth In The Kitty League.

According to President Frank Bassett Owensboro has accepted a berth in the Kitty League. This completes the league membership and President Bassett will immediately appoint the schedule committee so it can report at the next meeting. The Owensboro fans and business men raised over \$800 after President Bassett made a short talk, and posted the first installment of the forfeit. The circuit is the best the league has ever had.

Second Helen Keller.

Danville, Ky., Feb. 26.—One of the most remarkable children in Kentucky is attending the Kentucky School for the Deaf in this city, and at the celebration of Washington's birthday she gave a remarkable demonstration of her abilities. Her name is Oma Simpson and her parents reside in Ohio county. She came to the institution two years ago. She is totally blind and deaf. She has learned to speak, and although she did not know a single word when she entered she now has a vocabulary of 600 words, and at the demonstration she read from her lips, answered questions and wrote sentences on her typewriter. She reads from her lips by the sense of touch. Of her vocabulary she can speak 300 words. She closed by reciting orally "Now I lay me down to sleep." It is claimed that she will prove to be a second Helen Keller. She is the only child in Kentucky so afflicted.

ANOTHER BUSY WEEK FOR ALL CONTESTANTS

2500 Extra Votes This Week A Big Incentive For Energetic Work.

ALL ARE DETERMINED TO WIN

Friends of the Various Contestants Are Watching With Interests The Progress They Make, and Everybody Busy.

The contestants in the Kentuckian Piano and Diamond contest are a busy lot of workers this week. They realize that the offer of 2500 extra votes with each dollar turned in on subscriptions this week is a more liberal than will be made during the remainder of the contest and will leave nothing undone that will secure subscriptions this week. All of them are working for big votes while this offer is in force. Hundreds of subscriptions await to be secured and all the workers need to do is to see the people and they will secure the subscriptions. The costly prizes will be distributed three weeks from next Saturday. Contestants are so closely bunched that any one can win by a little extra effort this week. If you expect to be one of the winners you should endeavor to secure every possible subscription now. Don't wait till the last week and have to secure extra

subscriptions when you now have the opportunity to secure extra votes. Ask your friends for long time subscriptions. Many will not hesitate to give you a five or ten years' subscription if you will let them know you need them. Remember it is better to have a million too many votes than to be short one hundred when the final count is made. Work every minute this week and you will reap the benefit of your efforts on March 22, when the prizes will be awarded to the six successful candidates. There is honor in winning and the time to prepare for the honor is now. TO-DAY. Get your subscriptions before some other candidate secure those you ought to have. Don't wait till tomorrow. Today is the time. Don't procrastinate, but get busy and keep busy and your success will be more certain. Get every possible subscription by Saturday night, March 1.

STANDING OF THE CONTESTANTS

DISTRICT NO. 1.	
District No. 1.—All of the territory in the city of Hopkinsville North of Seventh street.	
Evelyn Perkins.....	94,600
Mary Belle Page.....	89,600
Arnes Perry.....	84,200
Annie Pierce.....	81,900
Suzan Moss.....	81,900
Olivia Hisgen.....	66,300
Mrs. Chas. F. Shelton.....	65,800
Eula Mullins.....	48,600
DISTRICT NO. 2.	
District No. 2.—All territory in the city of Hopkinsville South of Seventh street.	
Bessie Carter.....	94,600
Mrs. Laura Ford.....	88,250
Dena Wright.....	75,800
Louise Fox.....	73,700
Belle Williams.....	65,650
Myrtle Faulkner.....	63,400
Emma Leigh Cowherd.....	26,100
DISTRICT NO. 3.	
District No. 3.—All of the territory in the county outside of the city, north of the Cadiz Road and Fairview Pike.	
Mrs. J. H. Fuller R. 8.....	102,900
DISTRICT NO. 4.	
District No. 4.—All the territory in the county outside of the city, south of the Cadiz Road and Fairview Pike.	
Myra Word, R. 3.....	121,300
Ora Summerhill, Oak Grove.....	99,650
Myrtle Gray, Pembroke, R. 2.....	99,110
Mary D. Nichols, Oak G. R. 1.....	97,400
Mrs. Josie Daniel.....	96,100
Mary Quarles, Howell.....	92,400
Ruby Stroube, Oak G., R. 2.....	87,950
Mary Green, R. 5.....	86,650
Beatrice Taylor, LaFayette.....	83,400
Mary Jones, R. 3.....	82,300
Mabel Wolfe, Herndon.....	80,900
Sarah Davie, Oak G. R. 2.....	78,300
Kathleen Hall, R. 4.....	71,900
Frances Pace, R. 3.....	62,300
Richie Williams.....	60,100
Mabel Maddux, Gracey, R. 3.....	58,700
Katherine Jones, R. 4.....	58,875
Florence Knight, R. 3.....	29,600
Cordelia Cross, Oak Grove.....	26,700

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TO BE TRIED

For Threatening the Life of President-Elect Wilson.

Seeley Davenport and Jason Dunn are to be tried on the charge of threatening the life of Gov. Woodrow Wilson next week. They have entered a plea of not guilty in the United States court. They are now in jail to await their trial.

Cheap Bananas.

Car near L. & N. depot. Bunches 50c to \$1.00 15c per dozen, 25 for 25c.—Advertisement.

HON. P. R. FOLLANSBY

Prominent Democrat and Influential Citizen Dead.

Hon. Putney R. Follansby, father of Miss Katherine Follansby, teacher of music at McLean College, died a few days ago at Guildhall, Vermont, aged 87 years. He was a prominent citizen and a democrat. His daughter here has been ill of the grip and was still too ill to attend the burial.

FOR SALE—2 nice building lots on Bryan Ave. Cheap, terms easy. Address H. care Kentuckian.—Adv.

DENTIS ADAMS BEST PROFIT

In Boys Corn Contest With 83 Bushels and 30 Pounds Per Acre.

IN RED HOT COMPETITION.

Other Prize Winners Who Were Given Awards, Including Girls.

Owing to the delay in securing the Prize Fund and several Corn Reports having been lost in the mail, I have been unable to make a full report publicly until now.

Nineteen boys showed corn at the School Fair Nov. 15, 1912, viz:

D.R. Mason—Yield 63 bu. 14 lbs.	
Ezrie Conway " 63 " 18 "	
Kit Summerhill " 72 " 20 "	
Robert Garrott " 76 " 38 "	
Cyrus White " 84 " 12 "	
W. B. Crowley " 44 " 56 "	
Everett Rogers " 25 " "	
Owen West " 37 " 36 "	
Urey Powell " 15 " "	
Dentis Adams " 83 " 30 "	
Albert Mayfield " 33 " 66 "	
Frank King " 49 " "	
James McKnight " 74 " 57 "	
J. W. Riley, Jr. " 70 " 10 "	
Marvin Powell " 14 " 41 "	
Hershel Fears " 20 " on 1 A.	

Washed away.

Clyde Harrison " 49 " "	
Jack White " 67 " 36 "	
Ernest West " 34 " 69 "	

No. 18 won 1st Prize for best 10 ears " 12 " 2nd " " " " " " 4 " 3rd " " " " " "

These numbers represented the following boys, No. 15 Jack White, No. 12 James McKnight, No. 4 Robert Garrott.

Two boys withdrew from the contest before the prizes for Best Profit. Two Best Written Descriptions were awarded viz:—

Cyrus and Jack White. Only eight boys could contest for best yield, since only those boys had sworn statements from the men who measured the land and weighed the corn, viz:—

Robert Garrott 76 bu. 38 lbs. 1st Prize.

James McKnight 74 bu. 57 lbs. 2nd Prize.

Kit Summerhill 72 bu. 20 lbs. 3rd Prize.

J. W. Riley Jr. 70 bu. 10 lbs. no Prize.

W. B. Crowley 44 bu. 56 lbs. no Prize.

Owen West 37 bu. 36 lbs. no Prize.

Albert Mayfield 33 bu. 66 lbs no Prize.

Everett Rogers 25 bu. 56 no Prize.

Prizes were awarded to the following boys for Best Profit, viz:—

Dentis Adams 1st. Prize \$39.45.

Ezrie Conway 2nd. " \$27.37.

James McKnight 3rd. " \$26.15

For Best Written Description, viz:—

D. R. Mason 1st. Prize.

J. W. Riley Jr. 2nd. "

Hershel Fears 3rd. "

TOMATO CONTEST

Only three girls showed tomatoes at the School Fair Nov. 15, 1912.

Prizes were awarded as follows Viz:

BEST QUALITY

Ruth Mayfield 1st. Prize.

Rena Hill 2nd. "

Cordie Henderson 3rd. "

MOST CANS

Rena Hill 1st. Prize.

Ruth Mayfield 2nd. "

Cordie Henderson 3rd. "

BEST PROFIT.

Cordie Henderson 1st. Prize.

Rena Hill 2nd. "

Ruth Mayfield 3rd. "

JENNIE WEST, Superintendent.

Ham sacking season is here. Sacks for sale at this office.

Purely Personal.

Geo. W. Wharton, of New York, is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wall, where Mrs. Wharton has been visiting for several weeks.

W. B. Kennedy, of Paducah, came over yesterday to attend the funeral of Mr. Geo. M. Steele. Mrs. Steele is a sister of Mr. Kennedy.

J. D. McGowan has returned from New York, where he spent some time buying spring goods for Wall & McGowan.

Ross Davis and daughter, of Louisville, visited the family of L. H. Davis this week.

Mrs. Eatis, Secretary of the Kentucky Equal Rights Association, was in the city this week.

Miss Ida Blumenstein is in Chicago for a few days.

Honest and Clean.

If a wholesome, honest, cleanly play that alternates pathos and laughter with galling-gun rapidity is what theatre goers want, they will go and see "A Western Girl" at Holland's Opera House Friday night, Feb. 28 Miss Millie Beland Stanley plays the leading role, and it is said to be entirely different from any other play and advantageously so. It gives an honest story of wholesome people brightly told with great human interest. These are some of the qualities that are pleasing to the immense audiences everywhere. Each of the four acts is lavishly mounted with special scenery. The company is a large and competent one. A superb Concert Band and Orchestra is also carried with this attraction.—Advertisement.

JUST A HINT

At What The Fair Will Do For Children.

Some idea of what benefit the Pennyroyal Fair will be to the young boys and girls of the county can be formed by reading the final report of Miss Jennie West, which appears in another column of this paper.

It will be noticed that 19 boys entered the corn contest at the school fair November 15 of last year, 18 of them winning first prize.

It is to be regretted that only three girls entered the contest for tomatoes, but when it remembered that there is no market for tomatoes there was not much of an incentive for the girls to get in the race.

It is easily seen that if the Pennyroyal Fair had been in existence last year there would have been a large number of contestants, not only for corn and tomato premiums, but tobacco and many other things produced on the farm.

Of course the boys and girls of the county will be "in the ring" for many premiums at the fair next October. Miss Jennie West has already made application for space for the display of what children will raise this year.

BIG ADDITION

To Century Hotel at Dawson Ready By May.

On October 15th last, the Forbes Mfg. Co., broke ground for the erection of a large addition to the New Century Hotel at Dawson. As an evidence of how the contractors push things, we are told by Mr. W. A. Long, the general outside manager of construction that he will be ready to turn over the job to the hotel men by the first of May.

The addition is four stories high built of brick and has 64 rooms and 32 baths. The building is now under roof, about all the plumbing and wiring is completed and plastering will be under way in a few days.

Operation Successful.

James West, Jr., who was taken to Rochester, Minn., and operated on Tuesday is doing nicely. The diagnosis of his physician, Dr. Jas. H. Donnelly, that his trouble was a tuberculous kidney, was confirmed and the left kidney was removed, the operation being a successful one.

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Country bacon, 15c per pound.
Black-eyed peas, \$3.25 per bushel.
Country shoulders, 12½c per pound.
Country hams, 20c per pound.
Irish potatoes, \$1.00 per bushel.
Northern eating Rural potatoes \$1.00 per bushel
Texas eating onions, \$1.60 per bushel
Red eating onions, \$1.60 per bushel
Dried Navy beans, \$4.80 per bushel
Cabbage, 2 cents a pound.
Dried Lima beans, 60c per gallon.
Country dried apples, 10c per pound, 3 for 25c
Daisy cream cheese, 25c per pound
Full cream brick cheese, 25c per pound
Full cream Limberger cheese, 25c per pound
Popcorn, dried on ear, 2c per pound
Fresh Eggs 25c per doz
Choice lots fresh, well-worked country butter, in pound prints, 30c
FRUITS.
Lemons, 30c per doz.
Navel Oranges, 30c, 40c, per doz
Bananas, 20c and 25c doz
New York State apples \$3.50 to \$6.00 per barrel
Cash Price Paid For Produce.

POULTRY.

Dressed hens, 12½c per pound
Dressed cocks, 7c per pound
Live hens, 10c per pound; live cocks, 8c per pound; live turkeys, 14c per pound
ROOTS, HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW
Prices paid by wholesale dealers to butchers and farmers:
Roots—Southern ginseng, \$5.75 lb.
"Golden Seal" yellow root, \$1.35 lb.
Mayapple, 3½; pink root, 12c and 13c
Tallow—No. 1, 4½; No. 2, 4c.
Wool—Burry, 10c to 17c; Clean, Grease, 21c. medium, tub washed, 23c to 30c; coarse, dingy, tub washed, 18c.
Feathers—Prime white goose, 50c; dark and mixed old goose, 15c to 30c; gray mixed, 15c to 30c; white duck, 22c to 35c, new.

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White seed oats, 50c
Black seed oats, 50c
Mixed seed oats, 65c
No. 2 white corn, 80c
Winter wheat bran, \$28.00

NATURALLY



First Actor—Why didn't you spring the banana peel joke tonight?
Second Actor—Couldn't. It slipped my mind.

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Kansas Woman Helpless.

Lawrence, Kas.—Mr. J. F. Stone, of this city says, "My wife suffered for ten years from womanly troubles, during two years of which she was totally helpless. She was examined by many physicians, some of whom gave her up to die. Finally she began to take Cardui, and since then has greatly improved in health. The tonic, strengthening, and restorative effects of Cardui, the woman's tonic on the womanly constitution, are the most valuable qualities of this popular medicine. Cardui acts specifically on the womanly constitution. Half a century of success proves that Cardui will do all that is claimed for it. Try it for your trouble."

Advertisement.

So What's the Use?

At a downtown restaurant the other day four men, who did not know each other, were seated at the same table, and each in turn ordered water without ice. The first to want water uncooled suggested that they compare reasons.

"For my part," he said, "I think ice cold water retards digestion."
"Frankly, I fear the ice may come from ponds and dams full of decayed vegetable matter and may have germs of malaria or typhoid," explained the second.

"I dislike the chemical taste of artificial ice," said the third.

"It's just habit with me," spoke up the fourth. "I'm an Englishman, and was brought up to take water uncooled."

But the man who didn't want to retard his digestion drank a stein of ice cold beer. The one who feared germs ordered raw oysters! The one who disliked the "chemical taste" drank Tom gin, and the Englishman ordered sauerkraut.—New York Mail.

Complications in Answer.

"Johnny, dear," said the visitor. "John McTurk turned around while the family cat rescued her tail from his grubby fist."

"Now that you are going to school," continued the visitor, "I want to ask you a little question. How many marbles would you get if I gave you twenty to be divided between you and Andrew MacDonald?"

Johnny thoughtfully rubbed the point of his nose where the cat had scratched him.

"I dinna ken," he said.

"Come, come," said the older.

"How's that?"

"Well, ma'am," said Johnny, "ye see it's a' according. If ye gie me them when we're both here, we'd hae ten apiece. If Andrew was here and I wasna, I'd only hae about five. But if I were to get them when Andrew wasna here I dinna ken whether he'd hae only at a'."

Notice.

All persons holding claims against the estate of Mrs. Nannie C. Brown, deceased, will file them, properly proven, with G. H. Myers, Crofton, Ky., R. F. D. No. 2, or with Hiram Brown, Hopkinsville, Ky., and all parties knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please come forward and settle same.

G. H. Myers, Exr.

Advertisement.

Unfortunate English.

The general impression that the Englishman's life is rather prosy is supported by the statement of a Londoner who visited at Clay Center. He said he never had tasted fried chicken or strawberry shortcake, the two being unknown to the culinary art in his country.—Kansas City Star.

Mothers Can Safely Buy

Dr. King's New Discovery and give it to the little ones when ailing and suffering with colds, coughs, throat or lung troubles, tastes nice, harmless, once used, always used. Mrs. Bruce Crawford, Niagara, Mo. writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery changed our boy from a pale weak sick boy to the picture of health." Buy it at all druggists.

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African Dwarf Elephants.

An English official in Uganda claims to have seen a herd of dwarf elephants, the existence of which has often been affirmed by natives. When recently seen the company consisted of from 30 to 40 individual elephants meandering in solitary fashion over a plain. The observer was most astonished at the weak defenses offered by their bodies. None of them had a tusk of more than ten kilograms in weight. A dead member of the flock was afterward found, the tusk of which weighed but eight kilograms.

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TUBERCULOSIS CURE AND ITS DISCOVERER ARRIVE

New York, Feb. 25.—The United States government took official recognition of the claim of Dr. Frederick F. Friedmann to the discovery of a cure for tuberculosis when by order of the surgeon-general a physician of the United States marine hospital service, Dr. Milton H. Foster, was sent to meet the young German physician on his arrival here today aboard the steamship Kron Princessin Cecilie.

At the request of the governor-surgeon, Dr. Friedmann, after half an hour's conference aboard the steamer on the trip from Quarantine, consented to turn over a quantity of his bacilli to be tested by the government and to demonstrate the efficiency of his cure before physicians of the hospital service. He agreed to meet a laboratory expert of the government in this city Thursday to arrange for a demonstration which will be tried on tuberculosis patients.

NO SECRET REMEDY.

Dr. Friedmann, who comes to this country at the invitation of Charles E. Finlay, a New York banker who hopes the physician will be able to cure his son-in-law of the disease, declared tonight that his remedy was not a secret, and that he purposed to make known to "all the world" the method by which it was created and the manner in which it was administered. It consisted of bacilli taken from a turtle into which tubercular bacilli from a human being had been injected, he explained.

"I have been working upon the cure for fourteen years, and in the last two and a half years I have

treated from 2,500 to 3,000 patients," he asserted. "How many I have absolutely cured I cannot estimate, but their number has run into the hundreds. The remedy cures all forms of tuberculosis except such cases as are quite hopeless—that is, on the point of death. The process is a slow one, but the first effects are to be seen two or three weeks after inoculation. The time when an absolute cure can be said to be effected is a matter of months. The method of administering is 50 per cent of the cure."

FOR ALL MANKIND.

"I want all mankind to benefit by my discovery. I have already turned over some of my bacilli to the German government, and I am very glad to turn it over to the American government."

Dr. Friedmann denied that he had been offered \$1,000,000 by Mr. Finlay if he would cure 95 out of 100 patients in this country. He admitted that he was to receive a "substantial compensation" in event he cured the banker's son-in-law, Ray Paris, of this city.

"I am not mercenary," he said. "All I care about is sufficient reward to enable me to demonstrate my cure to the world."

Dr. Friedmann, who was accompanied by an assistant and a private secretary, was met at the pier by Mr. Finlay and taken as his guest to a barquet tonight at the Lotus club. The surgeon brings a quantity of his bacilli with him, which he expects to administer to the banker's son-in-law tomorrow.

Hotel Robbers Halted.

By the decisive vote of 119 to 65, a nonpartisan vote, the House adopted Representative Ben Johnson's resolution to prohibit Washington hotels, cafes, boarding-houses and taxicabs and automobile owners from charging or collecting from inaugural visitors rates higher than ordinary rates prevailing daily prior Feb. 25, 1913. The resolution was conveyed at once to the Senate, where it is expected to pass.

An attempt of Representative Burke, of Pennsylvania, to amend the resolution to prevent annulment of numerous contracts already made at sky high prices already made by hotels, etc., was defeated overwhelmingly.

Little Satisfaction.

A mummy gets blamed little satisfaction from winning the endurance prize.—Atchison Globe.

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A share of that \$3,000,000 to be spent by the I. C. railroad in putting down a new track leading out of the city.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever. No case out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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YANKEE ADMIRAL HEADS THE TURKISH NAVY

Bucknam Pasha—or Admiral Ransford D. Bucknam, as the intrepid American admiral of the Imperial Ottoman navy is better known to a host of friends in this country—is brought once more into the international limelight by dispatches just received from the seat of the Balkan conflict. These reports are of the man who engineered the sortie of the Turkish fleet from the Dardanelles, a maneuver which showed a potent grip of naval tactics.

The career of Ransford D. Bucknam from the time he first shipped before the mast as a cabin boy on the Great Lakes until he was commissioned several years ago with the full rank of an admiral in the Turkish navy, reads like a chapter from fiction. He is the first Christian ever placed in actual command of a Mohammedan fleet. Even Hobart Pasha, the British admiral of the Crimean war, failed to gain this distinction.

Bucknam Pasha gained his present rank by his work in reorganizing the Turkish navy under Abdul Hamid. He was a rear admiral when Abdul Hamid was deposed, but the new regime confirmed his rank and later elevated him to his present position. Bucknam was born in Nova Scotia, but his parents moved to Maine when he was very young. His experiences on the Great Lakes began when he was fourteen years old, and two years

later he sailed from New York as quartermaster on a schooner bound for the Pacific. While the schooner was in Manila the captain and mates died from the cholera. Bucknam was the only man aboard who had studied navigation. He appeared before a special board to be examined for a master's certificate.

Bucknam was in command of a steamship that sailed from Tampico for New York in the early '90's. The vessel, which was laden with silver and hemp, struck a sunken wreck when twenty-four hours out of Tampico and the propeller was completely demolished. The mate and three men managed to reach the shore in an open boat and called for help. In the meantime the vessel had drifted at the will of the winds and waves and a rescuing tug had to spend three weeks locating it.

Although the ship was badly damaged, Bucknam balked at the cost of having her drydocked at Key West and he undertook the hazardous task of bringing her to New York in her disabled condition. First, he shifted all the cargo to the forward compartments to settle her by the head. When this failed to bring the stern high enough in the air so that the propeller could be reached he latched a small schooner laden with stone ballast to the stern. This maneuver raised the stern so high that Bucknam was able to attach a makeshift propeller. It was the first occasion in nautical history where a master had put a propeller on a ship without drydocking her. He brought the steamship to New York. The spectacular feat gained the young skipper great commendation.

ORIGINATOR OF PLAN TO PENSION MOTHERS

One of the newest movements in philanthropic effort is that of the plan of the state giving to widowed mothers pensions for the safeguarding and care-taking of their young children. For years past, when a mother was left with a brood of little ones while the breadwinner was killed either in the line of his employment or



otherwise, the only refuge for the mother and her children was the poorhouse, or if that was disdained by the spirited mother, she was forced to resort to all kinds of work, some distasteful, to make enough to keep her little ones under a roof—called home.

At a recent session of the Pennsylvania Federation of Women's Clubs at Williamsport, it was deemed advisable by the delegates to give some serious discussion to the plan of pensioning mothers who were compelled to care for their fatherless children.

It is understood that prominent club women and welfare workers are planning to have the next state legislature of Pennsylvania enact a law similar to that now in force in Missouri, where the widows and children are well taken care of.

The Missouri plan was launched by Mrs. Henrietta C. Cosgrove of Joplin, Mo. She originated the idea, has worked zealously in its behalf for five years, and is so much encouraged by its reception that she predicts that within another five years every state in the Union will have placed a law providing pensions for widows with children, on their statute books.

Mrs. Cosgrove is a widow, but is independently wealthy, as she is the owner of rich producing lead and zinc mining properties in the noted Joplin district, which she operates. Mrs. Cosgrove hopes that the pension statutes will eventually not only benefit mothers who have been widowed by death, but likewise those bereft of the breadwinner by divorce, desertion or permanent disability.

IS FIRST SEA LORD OF THE BRITISH NAVY

Prince Louis of Battenberg, the new first sea lord of the British navy, has always been persona grata at the English court. Although not "royal" in the technical meaning of the word, he is closely allied by blood and marriage with nearly every reigning house in Europe that counts.



His father, Prince Alexander of Hesse, chose his wife outside the charmed circle of royalty. He married a Countess Julie von Hauke, who was created first countess and then princess of Battenberg. Prince Louis is the second child and eldest son of the marriage. The second son, Alexander, was the unfortunate prince of Bulgaria who finally renounced his princely rank and (as Count von Hartenau) married an actress. The next son, Prince Henry,

married the youngest daughter of Queen Victoria, the Princess Beatrice, and became the father of the queen of Spain.

The youngest brother, Francis Joseph, married a daughter of the king of Montenegro. His wife is therefore sister-in-law of the kings of Italy and Serbia and of two Russian grand dukes. Prince Louis of Battenberg himself married Queen Victoria's granddaughter, the Princess Victoria. One of his sisters is the present czarina, another is the widow of the Grand Duke Sergius, who was blown up a few years ago, and a third is the Princess Henry of Prussia, the kaiser's sister-in-law.

The real cause of the advancement of the princes of Battenberg has been their near connection with the Russian court. The late Empress Marie, grandmother of the present Czar Nicholas, was their father's sister. She was very fond of her handsome four nephews, and made it her business to see that they succeeded in life.

MISS INEZ MILHOLLAND TO HEAD BIG PARADE

Miss Inez Milholland, the New York society suffragist, dressed in yellow and carrying a trumpet with a purple banner, will lead the procession of woman suffragists in Washington on March 3.



Miss Milholland's duties as herald-let will consist of sending abroad ringing messages about the crusade.

A new feature was added to the parade the other day when the Baltimore suffragists promised to send six chariots driven by women from Baltimore to Washington. These chariots will represent teachers, clergy, social workers, writers, librarians, artists and musicians.

Several hundred women from Baltimore, and a number of garment workers from New York will march in the raiment of poverty behind a float on which there will be figures symbolical of greed, tyranny and indifference. Ranged around the ragged women workers will be several children from the slum sections of Baltimore and Washington.

Miss Rosalie Jones, the "general" of the pilgrims' suffrage expedition from New York to Washington, has just made a two weeks' trip over the route selected for the march. "General" Jones arranged for hotel accommodations along the way and for a number of suffrage meetings to be held in the villages and towns through which the pilgrims will pass.

Wasted Efficiency.

"I shall never forget," said the popular statesman, "the crowd of 10,000 people who cheered me for one solid hour."

"Have you ever thought of your terrible responsibility?" asked the mathematician. "An hour each for 10,000 people represents 10,000 hours, or nearly a year and two months, devoted to the exhaustive and unproductive occupation of cheering."

Plagiarist.

A young author obtained permission from the celebrated satirist, Piron, to read to him a tragedy which was on the eve of being brought out. At every verse that was pillaged Piron took off his hat and bowed, and so frequently had he occasion to do this that the author, surprised, asked what he meant. "Oh," replied Piron, "it is only a habit I have got of saluting my old acquaintances."—Life.

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ORATORICAL CONTEST

Between High Schools Comes
Comes Off Tomorrow at
Henderson

The High school pupils are looking forward with anticipation of the success of their representative, Henry Abbitt, at the High School Oratorical Contest, which comes off at Henderson tomorrow.

The judges who will decide the winner of the contest will be L. C. Flournoy, of Morganfield; Prof. C. E. Dudley, superintendent of the schools at Earlinton, and Prof. T. W. Oliver of Sebree. Each school submitted a list of names, and the local school selected the judges from the lists sent them. It is not permissible for the judges to live in any of the cities embraced in the association.

List of Contestants.

Princeton, George Stevens, "Our Pilgrim Fathers."
Owensboro, Clarence Clark, "The Leaven of Progress."
Madisonville, Roy Barnhill, "Universal Peace."
Dawson Springs, George Arrner, "Has America Reached Its Zenith?"
Hopkinsville, Henry Abbitt, "The Crowned Hero."
Paducah, Herbert Culf, "The Future Citizen."
Henderson, William Floyd, "The Man's Heritage."

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ON TO WASHINGTON.

Number From This Section Will
Attend Inauguration.

A number from this section, including a party of half a dozen or more from Pembroke, will attend the inauguration in Washington D. C., next Tuesday. Nearly all of those who make the trip will leave Saturday morning for Cincinnati and will leave that city over the C. & O. the same evening for Washington. Others will depart Sunday morning, going the same route.

That the trip will prove a most delightful one goes without the saying, as any one who has taken a trip over the picturesque C. & O. always has a desire to repeat when an opportunity is afforded.

Boy or Girl?

Friends here of Rev and Mrs. M. A. Jenkins, Louisville, have been advised of the birth of Eidelweiss Jenkins on Feb. 16, weight 6 3-4 pounds. Speculation is rife as to whether the infant is a boy to be called "Ide" or a girl to be called "Wezie."

NOTICE!

We have just unloaded a nice lot of farm and brood mares.

LEAVELL & LAYNE.

GOES INTO EFFECT

Amendment to the Constitution
Ratified By Sufficient
States.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Secretary Knox today issued a formal announcement to the public that the income tax amendment is now a part of the Constitution, having been ratified by more than three-fourths of the states.

NORTON FITCH

To Succeed Judge Wells On
State Board Of Control.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 20.—Norton Fitch, of Jessamine county, was appointed a member of the Board of Control by Gov. McCreary this morning to succeed A. J. G. Wells, who was made warden of the Frankfort Reformatory.

Mr. Fitch called on the Governor and received his commission in person.

Dead At 85.

James H. Bassett died at his home in Leitchfield last Monday, aged 85 years, after a lingering illness. He is survived by three sons and four daughters, namely: Col. E. B., Dr. Frank H. Bassett, of this city, and R. J. Bassett of Leitchfield; Mrs. F. R. Dent, of Louisville; Mrs. J. B. Chick, Mrs. Mary S. Kenny, and Mrs. W. F. Gregory. Col. Bassett and Dr. Bassett left Monday morning to attend the funeral.

In Regular Service.

Dr. L. G. Alexander will next Saturday go on the regular list of the local post office force. He has been working as extra for nearly a year and has proven his efficiency. The business of the post office has been growing steadily and the increase was found to be necessary. He has charge of the parcels post department.

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Missing Negro Found.

Bert Smothers, the negro who, it was thought, was taken from the Clay jail and made away with by a mob of infuriated citizens Saturday, has been found and returned to the Powell county jail. It developed that Smothers escaped from the Clay City calaboose, which is only a frail structure. Thinking he would be mobbed, he hid away in the hills.

Held Constitutional.

Washington, Feb. 26.—On the theory that traffic in women in interstate commerce may be regulated by legislation as well as the traffic in drugs, foods or cattle, the Supreme Court of the United States Monday upheld the validity of the Federal White Slave Traffic Act of 1910.

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SEVERAL MONTHS

Before County Teachers of Hen-
derson Get Their Money.

The county board of education of Henderson county are arranging to get money, says the Gleaner, with which to pay their teachers. Prof. Hamlett, Superintendent of Public Instruction, has notified the board that the money to pay them will not be forthcoming for several months. There is nothing more calculated to cause a shortage in the supply of teachers than the head of the school system not being able to pay teachers when their salaries are due.

Lamb Clamor.

F. B. McCown, of Kirkmansville, has two ewes which are caring for six lambs and he says the lambs are keeping up an incessant bleating for higher prices on wool.

Hog Cholera Serum.

The first hog cholera serum made at the new state plant at Lexington, will be shipped to Henderson and will be used by Mr. Charles A. Mahan on hogs of that county.

Prospective Candidates.

Prospective candidate will find something of interest by reading the following from the Frankfort State Journal:

Candidates before the August Primary have begun to deluge the attorney general's department with inquiries about the primary law.

The two questions that confuse them most are with regard to the signatures to their petitions and the method of voting. Many of them are in doubt whether they must have a signature of a certain percent of the voters in every precinct in the county.

They have been informed that where the law says a certain percent of voters in the county, they need pay no attention to precinct lines and may get their signatures from any part of the county. These signatures must be secured not more than 90 nor less than 30 days before the primary.

Others wish to know whether the voters affiliated with one party may by writing on their ballots vote for a candidate of another party, to which the answer is, no. The same answer is given to those who ask whether they may write on the bal-

lot under the name of a person other than a candidate nominated by petition.

New Attorney.

It is now Attorney Frank Hage. He was sworn in as a member of the local bar by Judge Hanbery Tuesday morning. He has been reading law many years but during his connection with his earlier history of the Home Telephone Company his duties were so pressing that he had to give up study for some time. Everybody wishes him success.

Todd Wakes Up.

April 12 has been fixed for a vote in Todd county on a bond issue of \$190,000 for building turnpikes. This county has no debt of any kind and has always been loth to vote bonds, through the county has only about fifty miles of pike road if it. The Todd county good roads association is active in behalf of the bond issue.

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MEMPHIS	37.00	42.50
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On the first and third Tuesdays of each month reduced fare round trip Homeseekers tickets will be on sale, via Frisco Lines, to points in Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico. Stop-overs allowed in both directions. Return limit 25 days.

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The California Express leaves St. Louis 11:25 p. m. daily with electric lighted standard and tourist sleepers thru to California, without change. The route is the scenic Short Cut across the Continent.

The Kansas City Florida Special leaves Memphis 8:25 p. m. with electric lighted chair cars, sleepers and Fred Harvey diners. Connects at Springfield with Frisco California Express, with standard and tourist sleepers, thru to California without change. Also connects at Kansas City with all lines having standard and tourist sleepers to California and the Northwest. Carries thru standard sleeper to Colorado.

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NOTICE.

T. J. C. Duffy, County Attorney of Christian county, will on MARCH 4th, 1913, at 1:30 p. m., at the front door of the court house in Hopkinsville, Ky., pursuant to the following order of the Fiscal Court of Christian county, offer the following franchise for sale, according to the terms and conditions thereof.

Given under my hand, this February 12, 1913.

JOHN C. DUFFY,

County Attorney of Christian Co.
FISCAL COURT OF CHRISTIAN COUNTY.

State of Kentucky }
County of Christian } Sect.

February term, 1913.

February 5th, 1913.

COUNTY TELEPHONE FRANCHISE

It is hereby ordered by the Fiscal Court of Christian County that a franchise to erect, maintain and operate telephone lines, poles, cables and fixtures and wires along and across the public roads, highways and bridges of the county and the right of way thereof, be sold by this court at public outcry, to the highest and best bidder, for a period of 20 years from and after this date. The person or persons, company or corporation becoming the owner or owners of this franchise and after the sale thereof shall have been confirmed by order of this court, shall have granted to him, them or it, a franchise giving to him, them or it, his, their or its successors, assigns or lessees, the following privileges and imposing upon him, them or it, his, their or its successors, assigns or lessees the following rights and privileges, subject to each and all of the restrictions and regulations herein contained, and enforced, not in conflict with the laws of this state now in force, or which may be hereinafter enacted.

1. That there is hereby created and established a franchise or privilege to erect, operate and maintain a system of telephone lines, poles, wires, cables and fixtures along and across the public roads, highways, turnpikes, and bridges of this county, subject to the jurisdiction of this court.

2. This franchise or privilege shall continue for a period of twenty years from this date.

3. The purchaser or purchasers or owners of this franchise or privilege may assign or transfer same.

4. Said lines, wires, cables, poles, and fixtures shall be erected and maintained in a workmanlike manner, and said poles shall be located outside of the valleys or ditches, so as not to interfere with public travel and traffic on the said public roads, highways and turnpikes, nor with the maintenance, repairs, reconstruction or drainage of same, or the entrance of any private property.

5. The purchaser or purchasers of this franchise or privilege, his or their successors or assigns shall properly repair any damage that may be done to any of said roads, highways or turnpikes or bridges,

or to the valleys or ditches along same, in the erection, construction or maintenance of said lines, wires, cables, poles or fixtures, and shall keep the said valleys and ditches free from obstruction by its poles, wires and fixtures or from limbs, brush or trash cut from trees or other growth, along said roads or right of way thereof.

6. If the purchaser of this franchise or privilege, his, its or their successors or assigns, shall fail to use this franchise or privilege, or to erect or maintain a system of telephone wires, lines, cables, poles or fixtures, or shall knowingly violate the terms, conditions, restrictions and regulations herein contained, this court may, after giving reasonable notice in writing, specifying such failure and such violation or failure, if not remedied or corrected in a reasonable time, revoke this privilege or franchise.

7. This franchise or privilege shall not give to the purchaser or purchasers, his, its or their successors or assigns, any exclusive franchise or privilege.

8. That the purchaser or owner of this franchise or privilege, his or its successor or assigns, shall not charge, collect nor receive for the rent of any telephone on any line on the public roads of this county and outside of the incorporated cities or towns, in excess of the following rates per month, viz:
Professional or business office, direct line.....\$4.00
Professional or business office, party line.....\$2.50
Residence, party line.....\$1.50
And under this franchise not more than five phones shall be put on any party line.

The above rates shall entitle all subscribers under this franchise to service without additional charge on all lines or exchanges owned, leased, operated or maintained by the purchaser of this franchise, its successors or assigns, within the limits of Christian county, and on and over all other lines with which the purchaser of this franchise may have contracts or agreements for the transmission of messages or mutual service within this county.

9. That all telephones put in or operated under this franchise shall be long distance telephones, and shall be operated on a metallic system or circuit, and shall be kept in workable condition, except for unavoidable cause, and if any phone shall be left by the owner of this franchise so that it can not be used for as many as five days in succession, after notice, no charge shall be made or collected from the subscriber thereof for the time said phone was so out of use.

10. That within ten days after the approval of this order, this Court, shall by and through the county Attorney, who is hereby appointed a committee for said purpose, advertise this franchise or privilege for sale, by posting written or printed copies of this order, constituting this franchise or privilege, in at least three public places in the City of Hopkinsville, Kentucky, or by advertising same in some newspaper of

general circulation, in said county, once each week for three consecutive weeks next prior to day of sale, that bids will be received at public outcry for said franchise at the front door of the court house in the City of Hopkinsville, Kentucky, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday, March 4, 1913; and the County Attorney, according to said advertisement, shall offer same for sale and receive bids therefor and report said bids to this court at the next said meeting to be held on the said Tuesday, March 4th, 1913, and immediately after securing same, and this court shall award same to the highest and best bidder, but this court reserves the right to reject any and all bids made at the sale of this franchise.

The bidder to whom this franchise or privilege shall be awarded shall pay the amount of such bid, in cash or duly certified check, payable to the order of the Sheriff of Christian County, before his bid shall be accepted by this court.

And it is further ordered that the minimum price for which this franchise shall be sold is an amount equal to the amount of costs of advertising same, which minimum price will be stated by the County Attorney, before or at the time of receiving said bids, and he will report the amount of same with a full report of his acts to this court, as heretofore ordered.

WALTER KNIGHT, Judge.
A copy attested: R. T. STOWE, Clerk.
Advertisement

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Effective Sunday April 30, 1913

TRAINS GOING SOUTH

No. 93—C. & N. O. Lim. 11:56 p. m.
No. 91—St. L. Express 5:35 p. m.
No. 99—Dixie Limited, 10:41 p. m.
No. 95—Dixie Flyer, 9:01 a. m.
No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 7:08 a. m.
No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:33 a. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim., 5:25 a. m.
No. 62—St. Louis Express, 9:53 a. m.
No. 98—Dixie Limited, 7:03 a. m.
No. 94—Dixie Flyer, 6:52 p. m.
No. 66—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p. m.
No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail, 10:12 p. m.
Nos. 95 and 94 will make Nos. 90 and 91's stops except 94 will not stop at Mannington and No. 95 will not stop at Mannington or Empire.

No. 52 and 54 connect at St. L. to west.
No. 51 connects at Guthrie for Memphis via the regular route as far as Louisville and East.
No. 53 and 55 make direct runs at Guthrie for Louisville, Cincinnati and all points west and east thereof. No. 53 and 55 also connect for Memphis and way points.
No. 92 runs through to Chicago and will carry passengers to point South of Evansville.
No. 93 through sleepers to Atlanta, Knoxville, St. Augustine and Tampa. Also Pullman sleepers to New Orleans. Connections at Guthrie for points East and West. Will not carry local passengers for points between Louisville and East.

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ALLAH HEARD HIS FOLLOWER

Arab Rescued From What Must Have Seemed to Him as Almost Hopeless Situation.

Soldiering in the Sahara has its humorous as well as its tragic adventures, however. An amusing tale is told of an old Arab, the father of one of General Laperrine's men. He was antelope hunting, and when half dead with thirst he reached a well forty-five feet deep. At the bottom he could see the delicious water, but, like Tantalus, could not reach it. Unlike the mythical martyr, though, he was not chained to the rocks, and as the well was not very wide he did not hesitate to let himself down part of the way, and finally fell into the pool. It was quite impossible for him to get out, but, like a good fatalist, he waited in his bath, praying Allah to send some travelers by. In these regions weeks and sometimes months pass without the wells being visited, but next day fortune favored him by sending some of the French camel corps that way, who were not a little astonished at hearing a voice from beneath. "Good day, Syrians" (as the Arabs call the Saharian troops), "you might send me down a stronger rope to climb up with." He had recognized at once the pattern of the Spahi rope, and knew to whom he was talking.

IMPROVE MILK OF COCOANUT

South African Natives Show Real Ingenuity in Their Treatment of This Important Food.

South Africa natives along the Orange river have a way of producing "milk," which, primitive as it is, vies in ingenuity with the method of those who believe in the synthetic production of what the journalist, hard up for a synonym, has been known to call "the lacteal fluid." After cutting the top from a coconut, the native places the nut over hot ashes, so that the warmth may cause the fat and "butter" contained in the husk to be absorbed by the milk. This changes the milk quality and gives it a palatable taste. In order to deal with several nuts at a time, the natives construct rough "holders" from old iron hoops. The ashes are placed under the grating and the nuts set in it. Obviously there must be no actual fire beneath the nuts, or they would be burned away and the milk be lost.

NO FAVOR.

Traveling Lecturer for Society (to the remaining listener)—I should like to thank you, sir, for so attentively hearing me to the end of a rather long speech.

Local Member of Society—Not at all, sir. I'm the second speaker.—Punch.

REVERSE ENGLISH.

"I've got to see a young man today on a delicate errand."

"Ah, he wants to marry your daughter."

"No; I want to marry his mother, and I don't believe he views me in the most suitable light."

THEIR NATURE.

"The two friends are rather ascetic and inclined to penitential exercises."

"What do they do?"

"One wears a hair shirt and the other has joined a Browning club."

CAN HELP THEMSELVES.

Mrs. Church—Are your children being brought up to help themselves?

Mrs. Gotham—Are they? Why, I can't keep a particle of jam in the house more than a day!

BOOK OF THE HOUR.

"It is the novel of the hour."

"Think so?"

"Yes; there hasn't been a better novel written since 11:30 last night."

IRRESISTIBLE INDUCEMENT.

Her Friend—If you don't like the hotel service, why do you stay there?
Herself—My dear, they have such perfectly exquisite stationery.

ITS KIND.

"The member of the society with the very deep voice sang me a song of welcome on my return."

"Indeed! What I would call a bass reception."

TIME FOR IT.

"I've got the dot on you."
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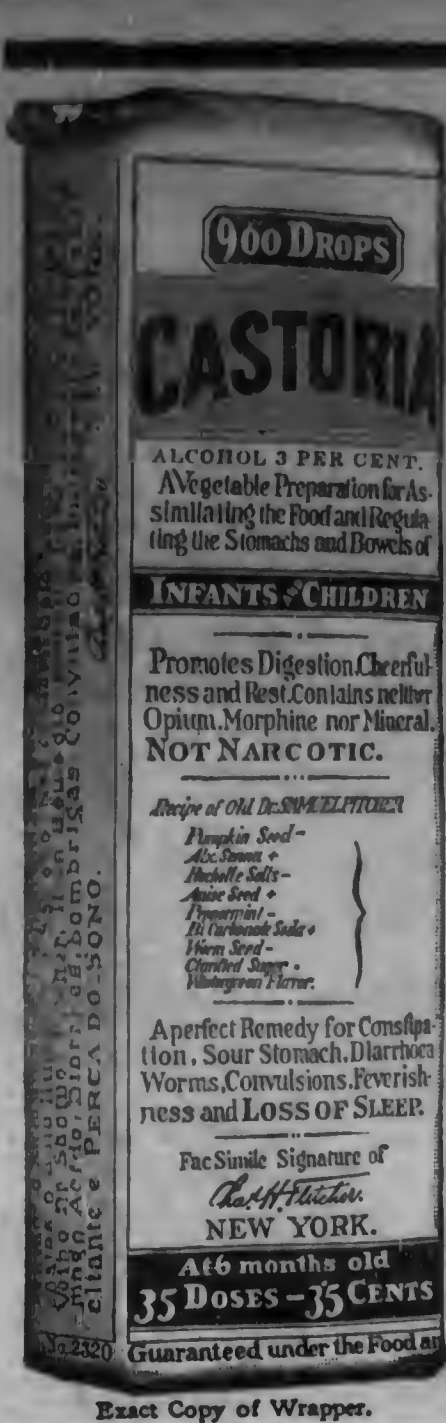
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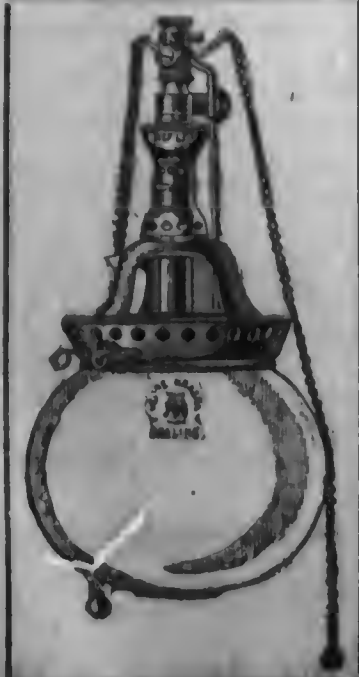
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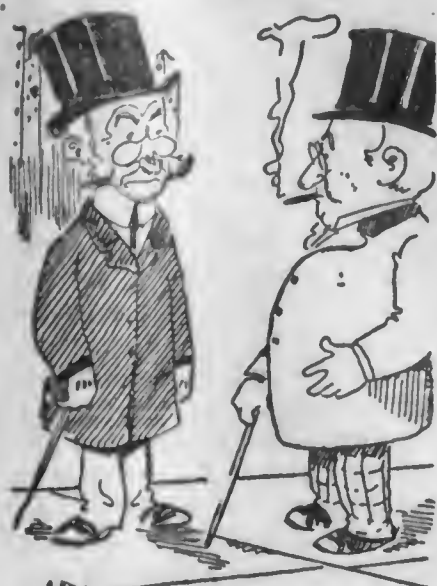
Who can deny that this is pre-eminently the age of combinations and societies? There is a society, with a capital S, for every purpose under the heaven. Yes, verily, a society to mourn and a society for peace, a society for noise and a society for the suppression of noise, a society for giving and, at last, a society for the preventing of giving.

Is it not almost time to pause in our mad career of organization and to ask ourselves, What next? asks a correspondent of the New York Times. Whither and wherefore? Forsooth, can we not suppress superfluous noises without making so much noise about it? And is it absolutely necessary to pay useless dues in order to prevent useless givings?

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The Politician—No. Sometimes it gets it in the neck.

DELICATE DISCRIMINATION.

"One can make anything express one's feelings, if so inclined."

"How do you mean?"

"Didn't you notice what Amy did when she handed the refreshments around? She gave Mame, who is her chum, some angel food and handed Jessie only the devil cake."

HAD SEEN ENOUGH.

May (showing family)—This is father and that's mother, and over there with the beard is Uncle Jerry.
Fresh (absent-mindedly)—Yes, I like your crowd immensely, but I'd like to hold off a little while longer—Cornell Widow.

SLOW PROGRESS.

"To look at Plimpson, you would think he was the busiest man in the world."

"Yes, Plimpson reminds me of a man on a treadmill. He is always going like the wind, but never gets anywhere."

HIS STATUS.

"Does that dentist go into society?"

"I don't know, but he ought to."

"How is that?"

"I notice in his dispensary practice he has much to do with charity bawls."

IN THE NIGHT ROOM.

"Here's a dispatch about a man bound over for stealing a load of pumpkins; case never came to trial."
"Head it, 'Indictment Squashed.'"

CROOKED BEATS.

Church—I see that Boston has one policeman to every 456 inhabitants.
Gotham—I hope they are not as crooked as the streets.

QUITE THE CONTRARY.

"What's Diggs doing now?"
"Loafing, as usual. The list of activities printed on his stationery has nothing whatever to do with the way in which he spends his time."

HER MEANING.

"Gladys says her love in a cottage."
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LOVE'S AWAKENING

By GRACE KERRIGAN.

"Judge Landon Carter is in love
with you, Anne. Are you going to
let the memory of Phil Gaines spoil
your whole life?"

"I wish that you would let me love
Phil without worrying over it."

"You are twenty-five, Anne, and
you have discarded enough men be-
cause of your childish infatuation
for Phil Gaines. He is married now
and out of the question. You are too
clever and wholesome to cling to the
memory of a man who was not true."

"Remember, dear, that he asked
me to marry him and I refused."

"Of course you refused when the
night before he had been notori-
ously drunk at the Peyton's dinner
dance."

"Not notoriously, mother, for I
took him away before any one knew,
and if I had loved him, as you think,
well enough to spoil my life because
of his memory, I would have mar-
ried him even if he had been a con-
firmed drunkard. That is a wom-
an's way."

Anne picked up a little silver
frame on her desk. It held the pic-
ture of a big, stalwart fellow with
eyes that laughed and mocked and
yet were tender.

"If you would put that picture
away and pack all his gifts you
would be much more likely to for-
get. He isn't the boy you remember.
He is a man now. I have heard that
he is coming here on his honeymoon.
I hope he does, to disillusion you."

"Why do you insist upon marriage
for me?"

"Because I want you to be happy.
Marry Judge Carter! He is the
youngest man on the bench, good
looking and comes of a fine family.
You will never do better."

"He isn't in love with me and I
don't intend to go campaigning for
a husband. Every family needs one
old maid to help mother, the neph-
ews and nieces and pay the wild boys
out of debt. In my rare laces and
pearls I will be a romantic figure as
I sit by the fire, seeing in the rosy
flames the bridge of dreams, span-
ning the river of youth, that leads
into my garden of remembered
things."

"Don't talk like that, Anne. It
makes my heart ache. Be happy! You
are beautiful and gifted. Antici-
pate happiness and make the harp
of life respond to your cooling touch.
Forget Phil!"

"If I only could forget!"

When her mother left her Anne
held the picture in her two hands,
staring down in the eyes that
laughed and mocked and yet were
tender.

"I wonder how well you love her,
this woman who has taken my
place," she mused. "I wonder what
she does to comfort you when the
blue devils get you, Phil. You know
when they came you always wired
me to write quickly."

"Now you don't need me any
more. I think that is what hurts
most of all. For ten years we have
told each other all our little hopes
and plans. You meant youth to me.
I am glad that I could help you
over the hard years when you first
went to that little western town,
dear, foolish, lovable Phil!"

She set the silver frame back in a
recess of her desk and rang for her
maid.

"My new blue charmeuse and the
turquoise, please, Elsie."

A little later, as they made their
way through the crowded dining
room to the table that had been re-
served for them, Anne was uncon-
scious of the looks of admiration
from every side, but Judge Carter
saw and thrilled with pride of her.

"Every man envied me when we
came in," he declared when they
were seated. "I'm glad to see color
in your face again. I have worried
about you lately."

"Emergency color," laughed Anne.

"Why have you worried about me?"

"I—I rather fancied you were not
happy, and I wanted you to be."

As he made his order Anne be-
came conscious of voices at a nearby
table. A young girl sat facing a
man whose back was to Anne, but it
required no second glance for her
to recognize Phil Gaines.

"Don't stare so, even if the wom-
an who just came in is so pretty.
You will see thousands like her
here. If you want that fish eat it. I
have to see a man at eight o'clock."

"I don't want it," answered the
girl in a soft southern voice.

Anne felt her color rising swiftly

under the rouge. The man who had
grown out of the boy she had ideal-
ized for years talking like that to his
wife! A wave of pity for the little
bride passed over her heart and
cleared it of all memory of Phil.

Anne leaned over to whisper some-
thing to the judge, then looked up
to find Phil as he rose from the table.

"Anne," he cried eagerly, "how
is it to see you again!"

"Bring your wife over here and
let her finish dinner with us," urged
the judge when she had greeted him. "It
will be lonely in this big city for
your bride while you are busy with
your friends, so I want the privilege
of taking care of her."

A sudden challenge flashed in
Phil's eyes and Anne met it un-
flinchingly.

"She is such a child, Phil! You
must be very good to her."

"Yes," said Phil, looking down,
"I really want to make her happy.
I've made a bad beginning, Anne,"
he said, confessing his fault like a
penitent boy.

"Bring her right over here. I
think she is lovely. Then hurry and
see your man and get back in time to
join us for the opera." Anne felt
as if she had roused from an un-
pleasant dream and was glad to be
awake once more.

"Anne," said Judge Carter, as his
big limousine whirled them swiftly
through the snowy streets from the
hotel where they had left Phil and
his bride, "I love you so and I need
you. I want you to make a home—
with me."

"You need me?" questioned Anne.

"Yes, dear. Every man dreams all
his life of one woman. You are
that woman to me. Fear that you
were unhappy kept me from speak-
ing, but tonight you were so radiant,
so happy in your kindness to the
little bride, I dare to dream, to hope
of winning you. Could you learn to
care? What kind of a man could
you love?"

"You," said Anne softly, a sud-
den, illuminating happiness flood-
ing her heart, "because you are you,
because you will always rise to the
level of my need of you."

"And will you love me always?"

"Always," came the quiet answer,
"by sun and candle light."—New
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RACES OF MANKIND.

The races of mankind are five in
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from some one original race, and if
so, what that original race was, is a
question that is still in limbo. Be-
tween these five races, as found at
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to seem to preclude a common origin,
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occasion, no fewer than fifty lost
their heads.

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got the yarn. He replied: "I got it
from my brother, and I do not think
he would tell a 'cracker.'"

STRIKING A NEW NOTE.

"So you are thinking of writing
a novel?"

"Yes."

"What is the nature of the plot?"

"I'm afraid it's rather old-fash-
ioned. Most of the characters are
half-way decent."

"Oh, well, the novelty of the thing
may appeal to some readers."

GUESS NOT.

Foot Light—What's the matter
with Joe? He looks so glum.

Miss Sou Brette—Oh, he's one of
n' knock-about team and his partner's
in the hospital, and he hasn't got
anybody to knock around.

"Why? Isn't he married?"

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